a Nodal Cell to coordinate matters relating to trafficking in human beings between the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations and other related Ministries etc. and organizing co-ordination meetings to review and sensitize Police Officers of the States/Union Territories on the subject.

(c) A statement showing the number of cases registered and convicted under Immoral Trafficking (prevention) Act, 1956, Procuration of Minor Girls, Sec. 366 IPC, Selling of Girls for Prostitution, Sec. 372 IPC, and Buying of Girls for Prostitution, Sec. 373 IPC during the years 2003, 2004, and 2005 is enclosed.

Statement

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Under Immoral Trafficking Prevention Act 1956		
Year	Cases Registered	Cases Convicted
2003	5510	4057
2004	5748	4368
2005	5908	4456
Under Procuration of Minor Girls, Sec.366-A IPC,		
2003	171	15
2004	205	18
2005	145	16
Under Selling of Girls for Prostitution, Sec.372 IPC,		
2003	36	0
2004	19	0
2005	50	8
Under Buying of Girls for Prostitution, Sec. 373 IPC		
2003	24	1
2004	21	1
2005	28	0

Infiltration of terrorists from Bangladesh

1133. DR. M.A.M. RAMASWAMY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there has been an increase in the infiltration of terrorists from Bangladesh territory;

(b) if so, the steps taken by Central Government to tackle the problems of cross-border terrorists in Indian territory; and

(c) the areas in Bangladesh which have terrorist training camps?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI V. RADHIKA SELVI): (a) In some of the recent terrorist incidents in some parts of the country, the involvement of terrorist elements from Bangladesh or use of its territory by some terrorist groups has come to notice.

(b) The Government remains firmly committed to countering the challenge posed by terrorism. Towards this end, a multi-pronged strategy is being pursued in close conjunction with the State Governments, which involves measures to check infiltration from across the borders, deployment of Central Security Forces in areas prone to terrorist violence, continuous vigilance and strengthening of security arrangements in vulnerable areas and around vital installations, sharing of intelligence, strengthening of State Police Forces and up-gradation of their capabilities to deal with terrorist activities through the schemes of Pollce Modernization and raising of India Reserve battalions, etc. Efforts are also being made to strengthen bilateral and multi-lateral cooperation including with Bangladesh with the aim of combating terrorism through arrangements for Mutual Legal Assistance, Extradition Treaties, exchange of information and intelligence, etc.

(c) There are reports about Camps of some Indian Insurgent groups in some parts of Bangladesh. This has also been shared with the Bangladesh authorities at various levels, including the recent Home Secretary Level Talks held on 2-3 August, 2007. It would not be appropriate to disclose further information in this regard in public interest.

Water-logging in Delhi after heavy rains

1134. SHRI VARINDER SINGH BAJWA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that after heavy rains on 1st August, 2007 there was serious water-logging at various places in Delhi on 2nd August, 2007, thereby seriously disrupting road traffic in the city;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government propose to get the whole matter investigated as to why such things are happening year after year; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI V. RADHIKASELVI): Yes, Sir.

(b) The intensity of rainfall on 1st and 2nd August, 2007 was much more than normal.

Therefore, the drains were overflowing and water got accumulated.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi has decided to prepare a Master Plan to improve drainage system which is likely to alleviate the water logging problems.